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Applicants: HINE et al.  
Filed: 08/21/2003  
Title: MULTI-POLAR ELECTRICAL MEDICAL LEAD CONNECTOR SYSTEM

Attached please find the following documents:  
**X** Amendment and Response  
**X** Transmittal

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In re Application of: HINE et al.  
For: MULTI-POLAR ELECTRICAL MEDICAL LEAD CONNECTOR SYSTEM  
Serial No.: 10/646,545  
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.8 I hereby certify that this Amendment and Transmittal and the paper(s), as described herein are being sent to telefacsimile No. (571) 273 8300, MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on October 11, 2005.

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**X AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**



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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2005, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on September 10, 2005. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.